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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

15 CONOPCO, INC. d/b/a UNILEVER

16 Plaintiff,

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18 P.E. RUBALOFF CO., INC., KAREN RUBALOFF and PHILLIP RUBALOFF

19 Defendants.

Case No.: 2:12-cv-10591-JAK-JC

**DECLARATION OF GREGORY  
P. GULIA IN SUPPORT OF  
PLAINTIFF CONOPCO, INC.  
d/b/a UNILEVER'S RESPONSE  
TO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

23 I, Gregory P. Gulia, declare as follows:

24       1. I am a partner of Duane Morris LLP, counsel for plaintiff Conopco, Inc.  
25 d/b/a Unilever (“Plaintiff”) in the above-captioned matter. I submit this declaration in  
26 support of Plaintiff’s Response to the Order to Show Cause regarding dismissal for  
27 lack of prosecution, entered on March 25, 2013 (Doc. # 20).

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2. Although counsel for defendants P.E. Rubaloff Co., Inc., Karen Rubaloff and Phillip Rubaloff (collectively "Defendants") never formally entered an appearance, Defendants' counsel contacted me regarding the complaint filed in above-captioned matter.

3. Defendants' counsel and I have participated in telephone conferences and exchanged communications regarding settlement, and the parties are pursuing an amicable resolution of this action.

4. A settlement agreement has been drafted and the parties are currently negotiating the settlement agreement.

5. Plaintiff anticipates that the settlement agreement will be finalized and executed within the next 30 days.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 8th day of April, 2013, in New York, New York.

Gregory P. Giulia

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